

Sale of Waists on Saturday 89 Cents Each

Did you get one of these Waists? We have another lot. Look at these Waists in Window.

The Material is velour, having the appearance of French flannel that will wash and not fade; plait in front trimmed with pearl buttons.

The Style, made up to date, a tailored made Waist with a patch pocket on side.

The Cuffs are the new style turn back, with worked button holes for links.

The Collar is detachable, turnover with worked button holes for links.

Colors, fine black, blue, lavender, stripe on cream ground. A strictly tailored shirt, like a man's. We shall ask you only 89c on Saturday.

BLANKETS, 79c EACH

We put on sale a lot of Gray and Tan Blankets. These are 45 x 72, good weight, nicely bound and have very handsome borders, in fact a Blanket worth more money. For a special on Saturday, 79c each.

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Why Not a "CALORIC" Christmas

SOMETHING that prolongs the Christmas joy of the entire family all the year round; lessens the labor of the good woman to whom it is given; adds to her skill and pleasure in preparing wholesome, savory meals, and affords her the exquisite delight of setting before the entire family, every day, cooking that evokes their highest praise—

An Ideal Gift

A CALORIC FIRELESS COOKSTOVE combines Christmas sentiment with a world of practical helpfulness.

In a home where satisfactory help is a problem, the Caloric is the solution. It makes the meat tender and juicy in spite of the cook, and food cannot be overdone by forgetfulness.

In homes where economy is a consideration, the Caloric is a necessity, which it would be the height of folly to ignore.

You could warm a house with the door open, but how much cheaper with it shut. The Caloric applies the same principle to cooking food.

After heating your radiators a few moments, place your food in the Caloric. No more fuel is required, no watching—no odor penetrates the house and the food is given a richer and sweeter flavor than it ever had before.

The first economy is in saving fuel; the second, in saving labor; the third, in making it possible to get the finer flavors from cheaper meats and vegetables.

Do not blame the Caloric for what other cooks fail to do. The genuine Caloric does more than any substitute. The perfected models we are now selling will bake and roast, steam, stew or boil.

The Caloric is equipped with the best racks, tongs, steatite radiators and solid aluminum utensils.

The Caloric is one of the irreproachably well-built, modern kitchen economies that has a place at Christmas

Our store is packed with splendid gift suggestions, practical, beautiful and of the kind that carry the holiday joy into every day of the year. In the department with the Caloric are dozens of things not ordinarily thought of, that will make most welcome gifts.

B. W. Hooker & Co.

Vermont's Largest House Furnishers

If you haven't all the
business you want, adver-
tise in The Times.

Christmas Gifts of Fine Stationery Brings Joy to Everyone

Happy hours are those spent in keen anticipation of pleasure to come. The letter to Santa Claus brings to the juvenile heart a joy of expectation. Akin to this is joy given to the heart of friend or dear one by letter of good cheer and Christmas greeting.



Good thoughts should have the best medium to convey them.

Crane's Linen Lawn Is Always the Best

The beautiful hand decorated boxes containing this charming paper are suitable Christmas gifts for both men and women and are useful after the contents have been exhausted. We have an exceptionally large line for you to select from in plain and fancy boxes, ranging in price from 10c to \$2.75.

Our beautiful display of gifts meets all requirements from first to last. We have a most complete assortment of presents that everybody appreciates. Pleasing and beautiful—at the same time practical and useful.

EVERY DEPARTMENT IS FILLED WITH FRESH GOODS AT FAIR PRICES. Come where there is a wide choice, a fine variety and a grand opportunity to get the best and most suitable gifts for young and old.

We discontinue our register rebate checks after Friday Dec. 15.

C. N. KENYON & CO.'S CASH BARGAIN STORE

TALK OF THE TOWN

Full line of sweaters at Abbott's.

Mrs. John Mercer is confined to her home by illness.

Paul Scampini was a business visitor in Roxbury yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gerhardt visited friends in Randolph today.

A son was born this morning to Dr. and Mrs. John H. Woodruff.

Men prefer Miers' sanitary barber shop because of the excellent service.

Mrs. N. D. Bickford of Randolph was in the city yesterday on a shopping trip.

Edward Smith of Cabot was among the business visitors in the city today.

George Ackerman of St. John, N. B., is passing a few days in the city on business.

Nathan Sennott of Castleton was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Brown of Randolph was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

J. C. Clarkson of Colebrook, N. H., was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

To Rent: Front tenement in Miles Granite building, after December 15. The Miles Block Co.

Public Scotch dance, Worthen hall, Saturday, Dec. 16, at 8 p. m. Gents 50 cents, ladies free.

Maurice Brown of New Haven, Conn., is visiting at the home of Edward Sicks on Prospect street.

Len M. Willey has returned home, after spending a few days in Stowe and Morrisville on business.

Miss Bernice Prindle of Keith avenue left this noon on a two weeks' trip to Boston and Providence, R. I.

The Cate Real Estate agency states that the sale of the Whitehead house was made through its agency.

William Marr left this noon on a business trip to New York City in the interests of Marr & Gordon.

Special meeting of the carpenters and joiners' union Monday night, December 18. All members please be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bennett returned last night to their home in Windsor, after visiting friends in the city for a week.

Bags, handkerchiefs, knit goods, umbrellas, ribbons, rightly priced here. Henry W. Knight's, successor to Veale & Knight.

Loretto Coletti left the city this noon for Boston and Quincy, Mass., where he expects to visit relatives until after the holidays.

Twelve pairs of all-wool plaid robe and bed blankets consigned to City Auction Rooms by mill in North Carolina. You had better see them.

Special meeting of the Bricklayers' and Masons' union this evening at 7:30. Important business and all members are urged to be present.

The Barre comedy five, composed of a number of young local actors, will present a sketch at the Woodmen's fair in Granvilleville to-morrow night.

Persons planning to attend the Ben-accord football club's reunion to be held December 22 are asked to secure tickets from the committee as early as possible.

Public dance social, Miles' hall, Saturday evening. N. E. O. P. orchestra, five pieces; E. W. Bruce, leader. Per couple, 50c; ladies free. Refreshments included.

A largely attended meeting of Barre lodge, No. 138, N. E. O. P., was held last evening to place in nomination a list of candidates to serve as officers during the next year. It is likely that the annual election will take place at the next meeting. Fruit and ice cream were served at the close of last evening's gathering.

A number of Perry street lads, who maintain an organization known as the Daylight club, with a clubhouse in their neighborhood, are at a loss to know who broke into their quarters some time yesterday afternoon. The motive for the break cannot be ascribed, as none of the club's furnishings were missing when it was learned that an entrance was forced. No clue as to the identity of the malefactors was left.

The closing event of the Christmas fair at the Congregational church last evening was a concert, which was well attended and highly appreciated by those present. Mrs. Nellie L. Braley sang several selections in her always pleasing manner, and Miss Allie Trow delighted the audience with a monologue, and responded to an encore. Others taking part in the program were Mrs. N. B. Ballard and Miss Mildred Phelps, who rendered two piano duets, Mrs. Ballard also acting as accompanist for Mrs. Braley.

The Civic Federation has secured as the third attraction in their lecture and entertainment course the Festival Artists and Miss Chandler, with A. J. Harpin, the great French-American basso. The reputation of the various people composing this company is an assurance that the Barre audience is to have an unusual treat next Thursday evening, Dec. 21. The boy pianist will probably attract many who have heard of his remarkable rendition of the works of the masters. Miss Marcia West Lewis, the contralto, is noted for her rich, robust voice, capable of handling concert arias from opera and oratorio, as well as the dainty folk songs and lullabies. The full program for the concert will appear soon.

Second Semi-Annual STOCK REDUCTION SALE Dec. 7 to 16

All \$5.00 to \$6.00 Trimmed Hats \$3.97
20 Sewell Hats.
All \$4.00 to \$5.00 Trimmed Hats \$2.97
25 Smart Hats.
All \$3.00 to \$4.00 Trimmed Hats \$1.97
25 Stylish Hats.

These Hats are the season's best offerings and at these prices are less than cost.

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CHRISTMAS IN 8 DAYS

There are only 8 days left for you to do your Christmas shopping. This means that we must all get down to shopping business at once or the things you were thinking of getting will be gone. Every day now sees many desirable lines closed. Where we can we will duplicate but in many cases we cannot. A good Fur Coat or Cap makes a very good present, and one that lasts for a long time. We are showing some very fine Fur Coats in Poney Skins and the Marmot. We have a Driving Coat that is an extra value.

Ladies' and Children's Furs

We sell more Furs at Christmas time than at any other time of the year, so this is the time that we have our largest and best assortment.

In Ladies' Furs we can give you almost anything you may want from a Coney at \$2.00 to a Black Lynx or an Eastern Mink.

The popular Fur is the Black Wolf, Fox, Lynx and Opossum. These we have in any grade you may want, both in the Muffs or Separate Scarfs.

We can give you some good values in the Misses' Junior Sets. These are in the size between the ladies' and children's sizes, and in Furs such as Blue, Gray and Sable-Opossum, Wolf and Brook Mink.

The small Furs for children from three to eight years old are always very attractive and our line is complete and we can give you some extra good values in whites, grays and browns. Run from \$1.25 to \$6.50 per set.

At \$2.50 is a Special Opossum Muff that has unusual value for the money.

We have a few odd Fur Coats that we are selling at quite a little under price value.

Ladies' Silk Petticoats



A Silk Petticoat makes an ideal present for Christmas. Every lady has Petticoats, but none too many Silk ones.

At \$3.50 we are putting out a fine quality Messaline Petticoat. They come in all colors and are an extra nice quality.

In the better ones is a Petticoat with a silk serge top and deep messaline ruffle. We have got another lot of those Taffetas at \$3.50 in blacks.

Silk and Embroidered Hosiery



If you want to please a lady, just make the Christmas gift nice Hosiery. Here are some specials.

New lot of Lisle Thread, Black Hose, silk embroidered, in very neat designs. These are advance styles of spring Hosiery, 50c per pair; in lots of two or three pairs will put in a Christmas box.

Silk Hose in black with all pure silk legs at 50c per pair.

Silk Hose in black, dove and navy at \$1.00 per pair in Christmas boxes. Quality of Hose is no poorer by being boxed. We buy the boxes ourselves.

We have lots of pretty Christmas boxes and will fix you up nice on your Christmas gifts.

Christmas Specials

One lot of large sized Hand Bags. These are made from quality leather used to make 50c bags. The tops are those used on \$1.25 and \$1.50 Bags, so that you get a bag with all the appearance of a \$1.25 Bag at only 65c each.

We are showing to-day a Ladies' and Children's Mercerized Initial Handkerchief at only 5c each. It's a 10c grade in every way.

Our Sun Spun and Alpine Embroidered Handkerchiefs at from 15c to 50c, with more of the 25c ones, are the finest and best to buy of any Handkerchief that ever came into our stock.

Initial Handkerchiefs are always great sellers at this time. You should select early, as we have no way to know just how many of each will be wanted.

Children's Box Handkerchiefs, three in a box, all white and white with colored borders, at 15c per box.

Our line of Ribbons at 5c, 10c, 15c and 19c are all silk. Our Persian Ribbons at 19c and 25c are 10c per yard under regular market price.

We have special values in Dress Goods and Silks for the holiday trade.

Nice lot of new Belts all in Christmas boxes. Ask to see the new Elastic Velvet Belt at 50c.

We have a nice line of Imported Beaded and Leather Bags.

Our line of Belt and Hat Pins will appeal to you as a little the best that you can do.

Hoagknit Goods are a hobby with us. These come in Sweaters for gents, ladies, misses and children. Touques, Aviation Caps and Hockey Caps for boys. We believe that the quality and price of these goods is a saving to you.

THE DAYLIGHT STORE

TALK OF THE TOWN

Presbyterian fair to-night.

Ladies' silk hose at Abbott's.

Thomas Marr went to Waterbury this morning on a business trip.

Look out for Law's big Saturday sale. The New England Fruit Store.

J. H. Lavery left last night on a business trip to Concord, N. H., and vicinity.

Useful presents for the whole family found here. Henry W. Knight, successor to Veale & Knight.

In making a present of any kind of leather goods, be sure of the quality. Brown's leather goods can be relied upon.

"Hannah, don't get gay!" To-night at the Presbyterian church fair. New jokes, local hits, etc. Come on; get in line.

Miss Agnes Heald returned this noon to her home in Franklin, N. H., after visiting relatives in the city for the past ten days.

If you wish to spend a good sociable evening, attend the public social, Miles' hall, Saturday evening, Dec. 16. Per couple, 50c; ladies free. Refreshments included.

Guests registered at the City hotel yesterday and to-day were as follows: P. D. Black, Grand Rapids, Mich.; R. B. Long, White River Junction; E. P. Forbes, E. W. Carleton, Boston; B. E. Gillette, Burlington; J. L. Miller, Quincy, Mass.; R. J. Haight, Chicago; G. Carpenter, Winooski; M. R. Snow, Providence, R. I.

The huge granite spire quarried at the Wells & Lamson deposit in Websterville recently was unloaded from its car at the Jones Bros. sheds last night and this morning. On account of its immense weight of 90 tons, one end of the spire was removed while the other was allowed to swing on the surface of the car. The spire is five feet thick and measures 52 feet in length, and is said to be one of the longest pieces of stock ever quarried from the hill. A. M. Troup, the photographer, recently took a picture of the employees of Jones Bros., numbering some 275 men, standing and seated on the big spire.

A regular communication of Granite lodge, No. 35, F. and A. M., will be held Friday evening at 7 o'clock for dispatch of business. Per order W. M.

Regular meeting of Hiawatha lodge, I. O. O. F., Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Nomination of officers. Work, first degree. Refreshments. Per order noble grand.

TOO LATE TO BE CLASSIFIED.

FOUND—Ladies' gold watch, which owner can have by proving property and paying charges at this office. 2318.

WANTED—Place to work on farm by man and wife together. Address Chris Mekkeson, Williamstown, Vt. Telephone 335-14. 2318.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Jewelry and silverware engraved free at Holmes'.

The latest novelty effects in leather purses. See them at Drown's.

See the new snugfit slipper for men at Tilden's. An appropriate Christmas gift.

Try and keep in mind that you can find new and up-to-date toilet supplies in great variety at Barre Drug Co.'s drug store, Depot square.

Wednesday arrivals at the hotel Otis were as follows: W. E. Robinson, Albany, N. Y.; B. F. St. Clair, Plymouth, N. H.; H. G. Arms, Bristol, Conn.; J. C. Clark, Colebrook, N. H.; R. J. Mordison, Boston; W. A. Waldo, Concord, N. H.; H. A. Waldo, Manchester, N. H.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Lockets, chains and rings for baby at Holmes'.

A meeting of the teamsters' union will be held this evening.

Dr. W. D. Reid went to Burlington last evening, returning this morning.

"Tempest and Sunshine" will be presented at the opera house to-night by the Phil Maher Co.

The Spanish American War Veterans will hold a smoke talk at Dr. Jackson's Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

R. E. Booth of Essex Junction arrived in the city this afternoon to remain for a few days on business.

W. F. Ahern, local manager of the Prudential Life Insurance Co.'s office, returned last night, after passing several days in St. Albans on business.

MANY PUBLIC REQUESTS.

Including Sum of Money to Kimball Union Academy.

Boston, Dec. 14.—Public bequests aggregating \$140,000 are provided for in the will of the late Attorney John D. Bryant, who left an estate worth more than \$500,000. The legacies include \$100,000 each to Harvard Dental school, Boston Y. M. C. A., and Y. W. C. A., and the Congregational church at Meriden, N. H. He also left \$10,000 for the needy of Meriden and \$13,000 to Kimball Union academy at Meriden. The will, which covers 75 typewritten pages, is the longest ever filed in Suffolk county.

\$20 ASSAULT DAMAGE.

Returned in Addison County Court Case Yesterday.

Middlebury, Dec. 14.—In Addison county court yesterday morning, the jury in the case of George Deno vs. Antoine Duffany, who had been out all night considering the case, came into court at nine o'clock with a verdict finding the defendant guilty of the assault claimed to have been committed upon him in Shoreham last July and gave the plaintiff \$20 damages and his costs.

The case of Louise Thompson vs. Solon Burroughs, administrator, which stood for trial yesterday morning, was put over until next week as some of the attorneys in the case are now engaged on cases in other county courts. In this case the amount of \$8,000 is involved.

The case of Arthur J. Blackmer vs. William J. Smith was taken from the jury calendar and set for hearing by the court. A few entries were made on the dockets and nothing else was done during the forenoon as no case was ready for trial.

At the opening of the afternoon session the first criminal trial of the term was begun. This was State vs. Paul Hawkins, who was charged on information with having a gulf hook in his possession at Lake Dunmore a short distance from his home in Salisbury on the night of November 4 last, with the intention of using it to catch lake trout in their spawning beds. State's Attorney Frank W. Tuttle of Vergennes conducted the prosecution and Ira H. LaFleur defended the respondent.

Handkerchief headquarters at The Vaughan Store.

Good Values for Pies

Apples for cooking, per peck, 25c
Fancy Greening Apples, per peck, 40c
Fancy No. 1 Greening Apples, per bbl., \$3 75
Home Dried Apples, cored and sliced, lb., 12c
Pie Fruit, Apricot, Peach and Raspberry, 3 for 25c
Gutches Mince Meat in packages, 3 for 25c
Grandmother and None Such Mince Meat, per package, 10c
Fancy Maine Blueberries in cans, 15c
Curtice Bros. Extra Dry Squash, 2 cans, 25c
Curtice Bros. Golden Pumpkin, 2 cans, 25c
Pie Peaches, 2 cans for 25c
Grated Pineapple, 2 cans for 25c
Mince Meat in bulk two pounds, 25c

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